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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): Michael K. Hargens; Jo Temming

For (title): COMMUNICATION ACCOUNT SYSTEM

1. Type of Application

This transmittal is for an original (nonprovisional) application.

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2. Papers Enclosed

A. Required for filing date under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. 1.153 (Design) Application

12 Page(s) of Specification

15 Page(s) of Claims

8 Sheet(s) of Drawing(s)--Formal

B. Other Papers Enclosed

2 Page(s) of declaration and power of attorney

1 Page(s) of abstract

3. Declaration or Oath

Enclosed

Not Executed

4. Language

English

5. Assignment

An assignment of the invention to Sprint Communications Company, L.P. will follow.

6. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16)

Regular Application

| CLAIMS AS FILED | | | | | |
|--|--------------|---------------------|--------------|----------|--------------------------------------|
| Claims | Number Filed | Basic Fee Allowance | Number Extra | Rate | Basic Fee 37 CFR 1.16(a) \$690.00 |
| Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(c)) | 99 | - 20 = | 79 x | \$18.00 | \$1,422.00 |
| Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(b)) | 9 | - 3 = | 6 x | \$78.00 | \$468.00 |
| Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 CFR 1.16(d)) | | | + | \$260.00 | \$0.00 |

Filing Fee Calculation \$2,580.00

7. Fee Payment Being Made at This Time

Enclosed
Filing Fee \$2,580.00

Total Fees Enclosed **\$2,580.00**

8. Method of Payment of Fees

Charge Account No. 21-0765 in the amount of \$2,580.00.

10. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following additional fees by this paper and during the entire pendency of this application to Account No. 21-0765.

37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(a), (f) or (g) (filing fees)

37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(b), (c) or (d) (presentation of extra claims)

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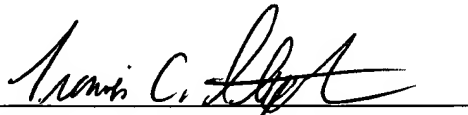
37 C.F.R. Section 1.17(a)(1)-(5) (extension fees pursuant to SECTION 1.136(a))

37 C.F.R. Section 1.17 (application processing fees)

11. Instructions as to Overpayment

Credit Account No. 21-0765.

Respectfully submitted,



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